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### "TEN PAGES TUDAY.

## THE COMING OF THE FIRST TEXAS.

The Galveston News, at last chipping in question, with a fine burst of demagony and misropresentation of the case, remarks.

the arrival of the soldier company from Calemon anxious, doubtless, to reare all the other composits for tion. They went out to fight their country on for ins cuit, lives in more ways than one.

As the "boys" have emphatically, correspondence to home papers, expressed a desire to be taken North and there mustered out, not only for bealth, but for solld forcing sympathy upon gentlemen who ask Teras boys will be cordially and enthusiwhenever and however they come, but it that anybody should suggest mustoring north. them out in the North, to have tried to aid

To welcome them with open arms for a funny way of showing special deference

In alleging that there is 'no danger' laxing, for reasons best known to itself. Rs recently double-leaded acticitude for rigorous quarantine and sanitary work they could eajoy the bracing climate of Houston and directly assist in the developthe North for a few weeks. Governor ment of the city's prosperity, it should be Sayers, on the responsibility of competent health authorities, advised the trip North, health officer, Dr. W. C. Fisher, who in into a great city. print a few days since expressed fears that

Those who have advocated taking the soldier boys themselves, as well as guard with poor grace from Galveston sources to attempt to cleak local interest by charging want of consideration for these soldiers, of whom the State is justly so proud. to those who were simply trying to carry out the expressed wish of the regiment while subserving public ends.

### DEMOCRACY VS. EXPEDIENCY.

It is amusing to find republican papers professing to draw comfort from what they characterize as a "split" in the democratic party of New York and exultingly "predicting" a great republican victory in the big Empire State next year because of this "division" in the democratic ranks.

It would seem from this exhibition of republican feeling that New York was regarded as absolutely necessary to republican success next year, in spite of many loud boasts that "Bryanism" was dead and the democratic party beyond the hope of

As a matter of fact, however, the regu lar democracy is calculating on winning its fight without any more substantial aid from New York in 1900 than in 1896. The party in 1896 deliberately sacrificed New York to principle and stands ready to do so again if necessary. The old days of mere expediency have gone, so far as the democratic party is concerned. Platforms will never again be adopted and nomina- ber tions be made by a democratic national give us any trouble, convention with an eye single to conciliattog Eastern politicians and sentiment in the Eastern States who left the party in with the government 1896 and repudiated the Chicago platform, imagine that the regular organization will attempt to "harmonize" with them again by a compromise of the prin- Americans to stir up anti-German sentimer ciples announced in the last National plat- by a series of ringing resolutions. This is a form, they are the most thoroughly desplandidly equipped country for the exhibitantceived people in a political way in this ing postime of racial tit-for-tat.

The action of Mr. Bryan with reference York is significant of the fact that there ing as a kind of not-hunter for the tructs. will be no effort on the part of the de-

THE HOUSTON DAILY POST. States. The "split" conurred in 1896 and. United States than money put in good Teass if it is any comfort to the republicans, the farm lancs and incide property in Texas cities. "old guard" of democracy will admit that The State is just beginning its development.

But, while this is true, it is confidently | The casualty but in the Pollippines con-Sear. \$8.001 six months. \$4.00; three months.

Self is atronger there today than three honest diplomacy would have prevented all years ago, to may nothing of the growing the present trouble.

The Single-Weekly Post (Mondays and Thursdays) alarm at republican policies and tendencies one year, \$1.00; an another than a directory of the present administration as the state of dress, but we should not too record.

If, however, it were certain that a reaffirmance of the Chicago platform would "hand-me-downs" are getting these days. result in a still greater victory for republicanism in the Eastern States than in 1896, the Business League in any efforts to protect the loss to the party would not be so great as would be the case in the South and West by a renunciation of the tenets of 1896 and a return to Clevelandism. From a standpoint of policy simply, therefore, there could be no compromise of the prin-

ciples of the Chicago platform. In 1900 the democracy will make a straight fight. It wants no masquerading solid. within its ranks and will insist that those who are not with it are against it and must drop the democratic cloak and go where they properly belong.

### THE COAST REGION AND HOME-

What this coast region has needed above lands as can be found anywhere on the thus summarized in the report; continent that are lying idle when they should be supporting busy and presperous thousands of people. How to get the needed immigrants has been an important

If the interviews with visitors, and narticularly with two representatives of the It is somewhat of a reflection to think that Mennonite colony recently established in brections should be offered in any ouncer to this section, which were published in yexterday's Post were scattered broadcast men relating their experiences could only shell. The primary question is a nutthe party will make a strong and aggress be sent through the Northwest to tell of self-government, and, if it was ever right it this region, the immigration problem with is right now. The advocates of impecialism Bryan-Belmont, episode exceedingly. In us would be speedily solved. These inter- try to take refuge is the proposition that selfus would be spendily solved. These inter-views with men who are now or have been far bet-views and the first section of the form of the first section of the form of the form of the form of the first section of living in the North not only testify to the cheopness and fertility of our lands and whole question. If it is a question of capacity, is plain to every thinking man that the the attractiveness of the elimate, mauring who is to be the judge, and what is the standhealth and cheaper cost of living, but show and. Are the Chinese capable of self-governthat the new comers are thoroughly satist mout? Are the Turks capable of self-governfied with their change of homes and have ment? Are the Spanish capable of self-gov-

sonal observation and actual experience ment we assume the power to say that anby former citizens of the Northwest, con- other nation shall not be free because it is stitute an argument as unanswerable as it is seductive to people who me seeking and enert the right of those who are "capawas as little as those could do for them, easier conditions of living and a more bie" to rule.

them in realizing their own desires in the interviews, however, was the intimation that before next winter this immediate section will probably receive a large numcommercial purposes, over their protest, is her of new home-scakers from the Northwest, partly through just such representaground here us suggested.

Every citizen gained to the country from a health standpoint she News in re- tributary to Houston is a distinct gain to this city. A large country population increases the trade and general prosperity of the cities and towns within easy reach down its way! Those who ought to, and as markets. The growth of the cities and do, know better than the News, differ from towns in turn redounds to the immediate it on this point. Many of the regiment benefit of the country. Next to inducing have said that they would feel safer if people of means and energy to locate in lation surrounding us. In fact a thickly and the News in its latest utterances in cettled and highly productive tributary directly discrediting its own efficient city country is a necessity to our expansion the Express to be fair, but in all conscience,

The prospects disclosed, therefore, of a the immediate transfer of the regiment clarge immigration to the coast region this ter of fact, and as the Express must know, from Cuba to Texas was fraught with much | year from Kansas, Nebruska and the great | Northwest, should be especially gratify. ing to the citizens of Houston, and they regiment North were seeking to benefit the should determine at the earliest possible moment to actively aid in every manner bome communities. They were working possible in the encouragement of such im- thing which Mr. Belmont might say to him is with the boys to secure the northern trip. migration. It is a matter in which the enter; rising men and business organizations of the city can accomplish much by intelligently directed effort

> When O. H. P. Belmont announced his withdrawal from the Croker dinner set, and his intention to try the democratic dollar dinner, the Atlanta Constitution, through its plebetan ignorance of the Belmont tamily. dropped into an amuring apploay to Perry Belmont, whom it had previously scored for in letter to Mr. Bryan. Possibly, if these Belmonts are going to mix much in politics they should be re-tagged.

Swallows and marvelous stories of the Klondike agalu break the approach of warm weather.

ton asked to contribute toward maintaining the Auditorium as a public hall should respond promptly and affirmatively. It is but a small investment from each that is exthe good of all. Money spent by a business house, or a property-holder, to benefit the knows?

Even in this glorious coast region it won't do to go to your Uncle too early with your overcent and flannels!

The best solution of the Samoan question would be the partition of the group. There are three large islands and three nowers interested. The itland that would naturally scaling station concession. It has a fine har-

Reports from Chicago say the demands for suned buer have dwindied to almost nothing, order to win the offices. If the men in Honority is the best policy-even in dealing

German-Americans bariog denounced the proposition of an alliance between Eugland and America it is now in order to English-

The man bunt in the Philippines is becoming exciting and there are no game laws to the proposed Jefferson dinners in New to check the slaughter. Our army is operat-

be no effort on the part of the de-racy to heal or avoid any so-called 1000,000 worth of Jefferson county land. There it' in New York or any of the Eastern isn't a mers promising investment in the busy repeating the names of those gentle-parish

it continues and that it will continue until The Hon. John Sherman will be able to H. the bolters shall reannounce their unconditional allegiance to the democratic party.

The party is not looking to the East for the base for the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the party is not looking to the East for the base of the base of

expected that the cause of democracy will tipes to grow more and more imposing. The show large gains in New York and New blood is upon the head of the McKinley ad-England in 1900 over 1806. Bimetallism it- ministration. Concession and wise, oben and self is atronger there today than three henert diplomacy would have prevented all

pliment when we remember how dirt-cheap The public ought enthusiaxtically to support

the ratiroads for concessions in aid of our San Jacinto celebration. The full measure of success depends largely upon the action The opposition Jeffersonian dinners in New York ought at least offer the guests some

### ferson was nothing if not unostentatious and NOTE AND COMMENT.

entitantial than style for their money. Jef-

There is striking good quality in the simplicity of the argument of Samuel Compers avainst expansion that makes it very forcible. All great questions are really simple There is right on one side and wrong on the other, and it is always the ef-

this summarized in the report:

It is referred to the position of organized false on the question of expansion, and said if a republican form of government was everyight, it is right now, and what was averying to the freehows a severyight, it is right now, and what was averying to well-known Georgia and Florida resorts, spain is wrong in the United States. If it was right for free government, it is not, today, to be sufficient to fight against it. We are today fighting against the only Asiatic country that has ever made an attempt to establish a republican form of government, and we are today as it is not followed as chipper and fresh as a 4-year-old. The genial detor has just got back from an enjoyable trip to well-known Georgia and Florida resorts, who asked his views on the general political situation, and the direct question as to whether the Democrats stood any chance of winning in 1900, Dr. Norton said:

"Certainly they have a chance to win, and it is by no means of the forlorn hope sort, either. I am no hero worshiper.

Facts such as these, stated from per- for the benefit of the subjugated. The monot fitted for self-government we abandon the whole doctrine of the right of self-government

Some folks object to lobbyists. We don't. They are sent here by wealthy corporations, who pay them to lobby at so much per lob. They arend their money here, and as soon as they lob a bad bill through both houses he governor hits it on the head with his veto pile driver and smashes the oleomargarine out of it. Let 'em lob.—Austin Tribuns.

There's a combination of business with polto beroes who have been risking their lives tions and experiences by those now on the of Austin wouldn't object if the lobbyists would lob all the year round.

## Senator Waller Burns' facetious resolution serving to the notarial row in Galveston was well intended, no doubt, but in all family violas the interference of outsiders does more term than good.—Galveston Tribune. Now, senator, will you be good?

is made to figure no one acquainted with the unreasonable projudice of that paper expects dares impose upon them. The so-called "postserint" was not, as a matany postscript at all; it was a second letter written by Mr. Helmont and was not in the pessession of Mr. Bryan when he gave too first letter to the press. The attempt of the Express to make it appear that Mr. Bryan ridiculous. But possibly the attitude of the resolution passed by the democrats of Baby n, the residence town of Mr. Belmont:

on, the residence town of Mr. Belment:
Resolved, That we unhesitatingly denounce the action of Perry Belmont, our State committeeman, in his frantic efforts to disrupt the party, as unworthy of a man honored in the past by the party as he has been. Realizing that Mr. Belmont is only a democrat so long as he can use the party for his own selfab ends, and that he can no longer at the heniud the name of democracy, having arrayed himself in his true light as a plutocrat, we demand his retirement from the State cummittee, and the election as his successor of one who is in full sympathy with the nominations made and platform adopted at this case, and who will make a proper representative for the district.

If some of our Texas congressmen could but learn of the conspiracies being formed by nombers of the legislature, looking to their overthrow, they would look more carefully to their fences.—Austin Statesman.

May be that is the reason why the members so nice on the subject of the proposed that acted and will be money well expended for law. Perhaps some of them expect the newspapers to boom them into congress. Who

Since the famous Flynn-Doran vendetta when Editor Mose Harris was escorted out of town by the leading citizens, who honored him with a brass band, no such exchange of leaden compliments has been seen in Hot Springs as was witnessed on Thursday night, when the hall opened in front of the beer depot.—Mampits Commercial Appeal.

Major Harris contends, in this connection that, while there may have been more lead fell to us is the one on which we have a used in the latter affair, the sairee in which he engaged afforded a much wider ativade to and its not sufficiently populated to genuine enjoyment; that there was some varibrass band accompaniment, and in which many of the best citieens participated, some of them extending their courtesies over a mile to the rallway depot.

In the San Antonio District.

San Antonio Light.

There promises to be a lively scramble among the democratic patriots next year for what in all likelihood will be but an empty honor—the coursessional democratic among the coursessional democratic patriots next year for what in all likelihood will be but an empty honor—the coursessional democratic and went to Norfolk, Va. where he has a country before the course and went to Norfolk, Va. where he has a country before the course and went to Norfolk, Va. where he has a country before the course of the course o empty honor—the congressional democratic established an extensive law practice nomination from the Twelfth district. It goes without saying that Hon, J. L. Slayden will endeavor to succeed himself, but "there's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the

A careful sifting of the various claims as well as an analysis of their individual support, tends rather to the belief that among those thus far named Mr. Bushlek II GREW OUT OF THE SANIIAGO FIGHT is pushing on. Our small gunbats are in Bulacan siver. Our small gunbats are in Bulacan siver, that white always a strict and unwavering parly man, he has been uniformly conser-rative in his views, loyal to his friends and the party's no modest in pressing his claims for recogni

The apparents of the Clauden contend that his services to the party have retirement at the close of his present term would be only in direct line with one of the cherished and cardinal principles of democracy rotation in office. How there's a lively skirmish shead for democratic brethren and the old warriors would do well to make no pledges in ad-vance and keep the gun trained on that modest young kid. Frank H. Bushick. At assurance that they will get something more the present time he looks like a winner.

### NOT A FORLORN HOPE

### The Democratic Party Has an Excellent Chance to Win. Washington Post.

James Hamilton Lewis of the State of Washington was often written about as man named Johnson, also of the Texas, with Wheaton's command on the morning a good dresser, but in his best days he who is Jamaican born. He surrendered to of 28th, took refreshments to officers of the Second Oregon, on the firing line. He never wore as elegant or as well-fitting- the police, and is now in double irons on and becoming garments as Dr. James A. board his ship. All is quiet today, all things else for some time past has just of those who champion the wrong to Norton, the popular and wide-awake Ohio been a larger agricultural population. We make the question seem intricate and conhave tens of thousands of acres of as fine fating. The argument of Mr. Gompers is ton last evening, was arrayed in usual faultless attire and looked as chipper and

and it is by no means of the forlors sort, either. I am no hero wors This presents, says the Indianapolis Senti- though a great believer in Mr. Bryan; but is plain to every thinking man that the course of the republican party and the administration-and I mean no disrespect our president—has not been such as to secure the confidence of the voters.

The people of this country are patriotic, but there is a feeling that advantage has been taken of this noble sentiment, and I say, believing it absolutely true, that if a the recruits would either come from the slums or clse there would have to be resort to conscription. Our young men of the rural districts and from the artisan

class would not respond. when the American noonle reflect that a bonus of \$20,000,000 was given to Spain as an equivalent for a group of islands which she had not been dominate after four centuries of alleged ownership, they cannot help but think of the different way Germany acted after whipping France. Instead of paying the defeated country indemnity, there was stern demand for two important provinces and a thousand million of dollars beside. Yet we make the conquered a present of an

"England pats us on the back, for she now thinks she has In us an ally against all her continental foes, and capculally against the Russian. To such a condition will we inevitably drift if the imperialistic olicy of the republicans is not checked It takes us into a zone of perpetual war Even now no man can tell the length o Colonel Bryan made a great parade of his time that this conflict with the Filipinos rankaess in his published letter to Belmont. It was small enough to withhold the post-cript to the letter from Belmont which he crease all the time, and the already high lirgan gave out for publication. Every day and to Willie's cheapness.—San Antonio Ex.

When that this conflict with the Filipinos will endure, or what enormous cost it will increase all the time, and the already high laxes will be insufficient to foot the bills. Where its the additional revenue to come Make the taxes still higher

"Very well, then. See wha great discontent at the death of even a few brave American boys in this distant land; wait until the slaughter increases fourfold, and imagine how incensed their fa-thers and mothers will be. And for all this expense and sacrifice of life what ben-

to win in 1900? It would not surprise m in the least if before the expiration of a twelvemonth you would be asking what chance have the republicans to elect their

# Rock Island Locals.

over at Columbus yesterday evening in ing the day, giving the situation of the various capacities in district court. and Haymakers now have organized lodges the Americans were resting beyond Ma-

on foot to soon organize. Rev. Mr. Armstrong, Baptist minister from Eagle Lake, is here today and will tonight ordain Ray. Brauson to preach. Rev. Branson left the Mathodist church onths ago and joined his faith to

Mr. Cox, one of Missouri's prominent business men and farmers, is expected here this week with nearly all his movables. He purchased land here some months ago and will cast his lot with us permanently

The society-loving people have a move on foot for a picnic on a large scale so soon as good spring weather can be depended upon.

## Huntsville, Texas, March 27. - District

court began today, Judge J. M. Smither presiding; Ed A. Scott, district attorney; J. B. Lee, clerk; G. B. Oliphint, sheriff. The grand jury was empanelled, com-posed as follows: T. F. Sims, R. H. Cobiness, John E.

Hill, J. C. Hardy, J. W. Naul. Robert Grisson, G. G. Roberts, W. H. Hubbard, present term of court.

dent Joseph Marx of the defunct Citizens bank of this place was acquitted in the district court of Bowie county, Texas, at New Boston today. Marx was indicted

Lake Charles, La., March 28 .-- The sher-

iff's office received information teday that a negro at Mermonian, on the east line, of the parish, is ill with smallpox No other cases have been heard of in the

Two Members of the frew of the Texas Badly Stabbed by a Negro Satior.

Kingston, Jamaica, March 28. The crews amply requited by the index-sement given him through the medium of a renomina- of the American fleet, ashere on leave, tion and re-election, last full, and that his started rioting among themselves last night over an old feud about the flagship New York's absence from the fighting at the battle of Santiago de Unba. The trouble lasted over two hours before the officers and police succeeded in suppress.

ing it.

Several men were slightly wounded and Green and Armisteed of the Texas were most seriously injured. The former had his bowels ripped and the latter was twice stabbed in the side. Both men are in the stabbed in the side. Both men are in the patch:

Washington. March 28.—Adjutant Genwith the following distribution of the side. Both men are in the patch:

Washington. Washington.

Washington. Washington. in a dangerous condition.

### WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

The Marconi System Has Been Proven a Success.

London, March 29 .- Gugeliemo Marconi, who has been experimenting with wireless telegraphy between England and France, anneances that he has conjucted successful experiments.

The Times this morning prints a hundred word dispatch, the first message by the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy, describing the process. The experiments were conducted with the Morse code, which

were read as distinctly as it the termini had been connected by wires.

The distance from Southforcland light house to Bologne Sur Mur, between which two points the experiment was conducted. twenty-two miles, the greatest previous England. An experience of fourteen months has shown that no kind of land will stop the working of the apparatus. The vertical conductor he uses is the main feature of his system, and it has been found that the distance to which signals may be sent varies according to the length of the conductor. For signaling eighteen miles a conductor eighty fort equare is used.

experiments have already proved that when such a vertical wire or conducs employed no hindrance to signaling caused by hills or other obstacles, or the curvature of the earth.

Communication between lightships and shere is a matter of great importance, and the wireless system between Southforeland lighthouse and East Goodwin lightship worked all through the flercest storms of the latter part of February without interruption, the messages being flashed conture on the system. Illustrated its ciple by likening it to that upon which a tuning fork will respond to vibrations caused by striking another tuning fork

### FOREIGN BRIEFS.

PLYMOUTH, Eng.-The Bulgaria, which left New York on January 28 for Ham burg and put in in distress at St. Mick Azorea islands, has arrived here. LONDON .- A dispatch from Vienna to the Daily Mail says there are 1000 cases of influenza in the capital of the province of Servia, Austria, and that the death rate

HAVANA.-The reception in honor of A. Alger, held a Governor General Brooke's residence Vedado last night, was a brilliant a ose present were General Comes and his staff.

COPENHAGEN.-The lower house the Danish parliament voted a credit of 100,000 kroner to the Danish government to send the Danish croiser Po n connection with Denmark's commercial projects there.

## CHEERING NEWS.

Men in Good Condition With Supplies at the Front Plentiful.

Washington, March 28.-There was a luil today in the reports from the scene of Rock Island, Texas, March 28 .- Quite a setion north of Magda. Only one disnumber of Rock Island's citizens were patch from General Otis was received durfront. It was not until the press dis- p The Odd Pellows, Modern Practoreans patches came late in the day telling that here and the Masonic brethren have a move riclo that General Otis' silence was ex-

After the arduous wors of a three days' fight under a flerce tropical sun through rice awamps and jungles. It was expected by the authorities here that MacArthar would reserve the energies of his men by a rest before striking the final blow.

The supply trains are well up with the troops, according to Otis' report today, so that the rest permits full supplies of ammunition and food to be distributed.

The American advance the is now beyond Marilso and almost up to the town of Bulacon. The exact distance to Maioles is uncertain, owing to the lack of informas uncertain, owing to the lack of inf at most the distance can not be more than ten or twelve inites in a direct line along the ratiroad. By the progress made in the last two days the next twenty-tour hours should bring the American force well up to the insurgent capital, if indeed, the asseult on that alace is not begun by that time. The officials are disposed to take their time, however, owing to rivers and burned bridges with the successive lines of rebel intreachments. And, moreover, as at Santiago, it is not doubted that in-treachments will become more formidable

F. M. Wilcox. Jim Bouden, door ballin.

There is a light docket on hand for the resent term of court.

Ex-Banker Marx Wus Acquitted.

Texarkana, Texas, March 28.—Ex-Presimit of this place was acquitted in the court of the co than continue a hopeless struggle.

The navy department received nothing from Admiral Dewey during the day, and up to the clear of office hours nothing had seen received.

> the Yorktown came yesterday, when he Lumb stated the gunbeat was ernining off Luzon, church MONDAY'S PIGHTING.

Oris Praises the Gallantry of the South Dakota Men.

Washington, March 28.-The fellowing dispatch has been received from General

Adjutant General, Washington.

Manila, March 28.—MacArthur had so vere fighting vesterday afternoon beyond Marilac. Brilliant charge by South Daketa, led by Frost, against famed troops

Well developed case of smallpox. Guards for the Methodist church series of the Methodist church series with the discase will be prevented to the discase will be in attachment of the delegates to the discase of smallpox. Guards for the Methodist church series of the Methodist chu kets, led by Frost, against famed troops

men willing to "take up the burden" now borne by Mr. Slayden' and among those frequently named are Hon. Perry J. Lewis. Hon. J. F. Onton, Mayor Hicks and Mr. F. H. Bushick. The friends of each have special as well as specious reasons to adspecial as well as specious reasons to advance in behalf of their favorite, and declared Relies. Partial description of railroads. Alien Familiar With the Care they have a "color" and description of railroads. Alien Familiar With the Care they have a "color" and description of railroads. Alien Familiar With the Care they have a "color" and description of railroads. Alien Familiar With the Care they have a "color" and description of railroads. Alien Familiar With the Care they have a "color" and description of railroads. Partial destruction of railroads, which is being rupidly repaired, impedes MacArthur's progress. Supply railway trains have now reached Marilao and MacArthur

where great execution was done yesterday. They will relieve pressure on MacArthur's trent materially. The troops in excellent

adition and spirits. Proclamation signed Lema, general in chief insurgent forces, directs that towns absordered be burned. In co-In coase quence thereof much country is now flames. Otia. Washington at 2:40 a. m.

Washington at 2 to a. on. March to the night- of the commissary general, and the ing of yesterday, nothing being said about the operations of today. March 28.

General Greeley, chief signal officer, has received a dispatch from Manila, sent this morning, which is confined to routine after had formulated the portion of the

Adjutant General, Washington.

the Second Oregon, on the aring has. He was cautioned as to his danger, but advanced with the line when it charged the insurgent intrenchments. He was killed by the enemy and a friend with him wounded; his remains delivered to friends

### SHORT NEWS STORIES.

NEW YORK .- The congressional delegation INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.-Michael Shea died in this city at the advanced age of 118 years. YORK .- Mrs. Heary Slocum, widow at Henry Slocum, is dead at her home

CHICAGO.-Fifteen hundred employes of the on lives, tin can hactory, in Maywood, otruck for the resumption of the old EXETER. N. H .- The cut of 10 per cent in

wages of the 600 employes of the Exeter ton mills in January, 1898, has been re-

house joint resolution commending the sayin muenta expressed by Mr. McKinley in his must hat Atlahta. NEW YORK,-At a meeting of aldermen a

notion requiring the use of eight-ounce gloves it all sparring exhibitions was referred to the committee on sewers. SAN FRANCISCO.-The transport Zealandis, with several companies of the Ninth In-fantry and a large carge of supplies on board, has sailed for Manila.

LALTIMORE -Cardinal Gibbons states that whas replied to the American encyclical letfrom the pone, but declined to give the at of his reply to the public.

The witness said there had been a rable discussion in the office of the missary general of the feasibility of ping beef on the hoof, but it had

CHICAGO.—The bodies of William Rick-ker, John B. George, James Flanagan, the Smith and Daniel Shoehan baye been covered from the Armour five ashes. TOPEKA, Kan, A mob took Henry Sander-ton from the jail at Holton and lynched him -inderson on Sunday afternoon attempted to loot his sweetheart and shot the girl's aunt. COLLIERSVILLE, Tenn John J. Gilbert, drug clork, was shot and instantly killed to name of the sister of the slayer, James ville, is involved in the cause of the killing. NEW YORK .- The announcement is made shipped has been returned to the that a combination of safe manufacturers is being organized. The proposed capital is \$7,000,000 preferred and \$10,000,000 common

NEW YORK.—The transport Cook has arrived, having on board the bodies of soldiers it sold to the government, 90 per on who died during the campaign in Porto Rice and the bodies of 671 of the dead soldiers from government direct.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa.—Ten men were herribly greed, two of them probably fatally, by the dowing off of a monster cylinder head on a dowing cogine in a blast furnace of the

BIDDEFORD, Maine.—The restoration of wages of the 1700 employees in the York Cot-ton mills at Saco will best next Monday, when a similar raise will effect over 200 hands the Laconia and Penperell cotton mills in

HAST LIVERPOOL, Ohio.—It has developed to that John R. Dospassee of New York, the hief projector of the American Potteries comers, whose option on the potteries of the hited States expires on April 1, has asked or an extension of thirty days on the options. CHICAGO - While several citizens were pur-suin prowling burgiars with little suscess, G. Schusbie, whose house had been rebbed, letzed a megaphone, and shouting through the instrument from his front window, suc-reded in summoring a policeman who was

## SHORT TEXAS SPECIALS.

CORSICANA. The infant child of Mr. W. Pugh died of meningitie. I ORNEY. Kingeller & Wilson's store burglarized of about twenty-five pairs of

ROCKWALL - Wesley Green had his for oken a new days ago by a falling tree, from a effects of which he died.

MUSE. At a special election it was deter-niced that home sheep and goats had free street the Cherokee county. LIVINGSTON .- The general disposition if Joseph is to sustain Gavernor Savern people is to sustain Governor fudicions use of his veto power. HINER theorge Williams was shot and led by Al Hamilton, both are colored. Ham in Red and has not yet been captured. FORNEY.-Will Tollier's barn, with twantes, two norses, feed, etc., was destroyed to bave been incendiary.

ALVIN One hundred and sixty-raven crates of strawberries were shipped from here Monday, and as eating or more shipped Ties-lay night. TEXABEANA L. A. Whatley, for a num of years superintendent of the State pen-odary at Huntaville, is visiting this city of proposes to reside here in the future.

COMANCIE.—The members of the Fourth giment who have returned hume have or-nized a military company with forty mem-is. Languist Brown was elected captain.

WINONA —A deal has just been closed here stowed Sintness & Lally and M. A. Parish, a which Starmes & Lally sold to Mr. Parish heir half interest in the saw mill plant, all cames and other appurtenances of the Winoba The last information from Dewey as to

> Precautious Taken at Sherman. March 28.-Today Mayor Fielder caused to be sent homfrom the public school for negroes all the children who reside in the neighborhood in which Hillary Holley is confined with

> > the discase will be prevented

HIS TESTIMONY DIFFERENT FROM ELE

Says the Reason' for the Had Simply Forgotten

Washington, March 28.-Captels The above dispatch was received in was the first withers of the day.

The above dispatch was received in was the first withers of the day. had formulated the portion of the truct relating to refrigerators on a

in a dangerous condition.

Adjutant General, Washington.

The wounds were inflicted by a colored Manila, March 28.—Prince Leewenstein, and taken from the refrigerator of the man named Johnson, also of the Texas, with Wheaten's command on the morning was to be twenty-four hours. was to be iwenty-rour hours. "This," Captain Davis explained in for the purpose of enabling them is beet in the refrigerator when the recentor might be some little distance for where the ship was auchored that his

beef on it.

Captain Davis named some instance which boards of survey had examined which had been complained of the iteration and another at Santian is the first the beef was condemned at part of it was thrown away.

"This," he said, "was the extremely but it was not supposed that the would be kept for more than twenty hours." Captain Davis said he had something of the Powell process for paring beef, and experiments had made with it before the beginning

erepancy in Captain Davis' and Gen Eagan's testimony as to the conditions der which beef was to be kept for sup tored.

1 ICHMOND, Va.—At the meeting of the outhern Publishers association, Manager tone explained the workings of the Association Press.

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—The senate adopted hours, no matter where it came inc. saying that the twenty-four hours d must have been a clerical erret, asked Captain Davis to reconcile he statements, to which he responded by gotten. Probably he had not seen then tract for alx months. It is not cases in such cases to depend upon manner, contracts being on file and referens them convenient and usual."

erable discussion in the office of the ping beef on the hoof, but it had it decided not to try experiments. The sistence department had, however, so far as to gather the names of pe who might desire to bid.

Morris & Co. was the next vitees a stated that his company had for the two years been in the habit of the company had been to years been in the habit of the company had been sent to be the company of t canned roast beef in Ohio warehouse and shipping there for domestic purposes. Some of this house in Chicago. None had eve sold to or rejected by a foreign a ment. The goods returned to Chicago a sold to a wholesale grocery house at

He said he had been in the best b ness for fifteen years and that the delivered at Lakeland was first There was nothing to indicate the bad been treated with preservative, there was no costing upon it. During LOUISVILLE.—Dr. W. Gedfrey Hunter, atted States minister to Guatemala, now in connection with the business them a try is taking steps to save the life of only awo rejections of beef and the

& Co. at Lakeland during the gran of the troops, gave the details of the ply there. He said the beef was garn eld in the cars for three days, being well iced. About one-third at contents of one car had been reje after this the meat was shipped in frigerator beef cars. Some of this ment also rejected. He testified that by

never known of any chemicals brias as preservatives in his house.

Charles H. Moorehouse, manager a Tampa branch of Armour & Co. dis tified. He said that from May 20 to 1 20,600 pounds of ice was used at Last The beef was the same quality as supplied to the Florida hotels. He willing to take oath as to that The cipal trouble was that some of the George W. Watson, railroad and Lakeland, said he had often gone his cars in which the beef was carried that the meat did not present apr il appearance. He had eaten some meat and found it to be as good be

character and was devoted principals the consideration of witnesses to sait the future.

## RACE ROWS RESUMED.

Discharged Negro Soldiers # Birmingham, Ala., March 28.—The ble at Dolomote, where the negros sented the arrest of one of their night before last, and, besides to ing one of their number because M clined to resist arrest, was resumed today. Mack Chambers and another man were shot at long range and so minors not to submit to arrest. Wei Sheriff O'Brien has made thirty-fit rests. The ringleaders are dis-members of the Third Alabama regiment, who have advised the minera not to submit to arrest. Wer been resumed at the mines with a force of guards on duty.

Improvements in Contemplate Luke Charles, La., March Bradley-Ramsay stockholders meeting in the city on Saturday at elected the old board of directers officials. A contract has been let b officials. A contract has been in company for a complete incandeous are lighting plant to supply light for company's Mount ope mill. The plant will be complete in every and one of the best in the South new dry kiln, which is one of the in the South, is ready for use. The Mount Hope mill will said week, after an idleness of several As soon as the new lighting plant appleted a double crew will be put as

ments are being made for the ment of the delegates to the disgreat time religiously is locked for